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For: MICROPARTICLE-BASED TRANSFECTION AND ACTIVATION OF
DENDRITIC CELLS

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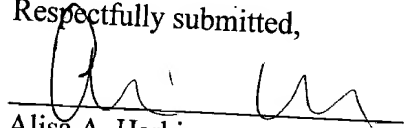
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In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed from the Patent Office on March 29, 2001, enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$1,038.00 to cover the basic filing fee, additional claim fee(s), and surcharge fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e).


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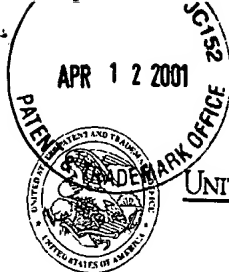
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$198.
 - \$198 for 11 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1038.

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